

State of South Carolina

Governor's Proclamation

WHEREAS, this year marks the 230th Anniversary of the adoption of the American Flag, a symbol of our country's strength, unity, and liberty; and

WHEREAS, throughout our nation's history, millions of men and women have faced danger, endured hardship and made sacrifices to courageously defend our flag and the principles for which it stands; and

WHEREAS, this year's observance of Flag Day provides an opportunity to thank the members of our armed forces currently serving at home and abroad while honoring Old Glory and reflecting on the freedom and justice it represents.

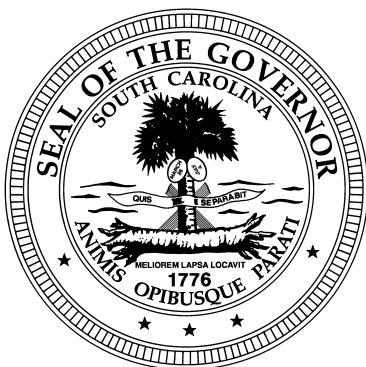
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mark Sanford, Governor of the Great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim June 14, 2007, as

FLAG DAY

and June 10 - 16, 2007, as

FLAG WEEK

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to display their American Flags proudly in honor of the liberties and freedoms that it represents.



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark Sanford".

MARK SANFORD
GOVERNOR
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA